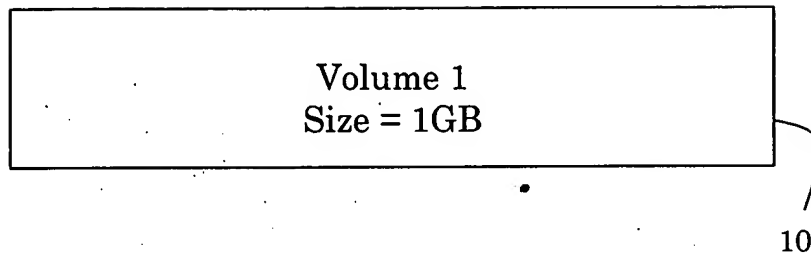
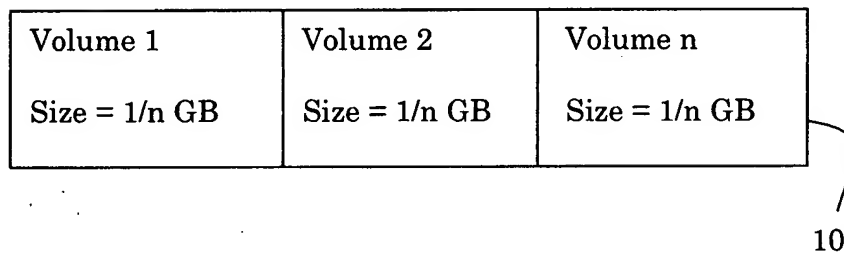


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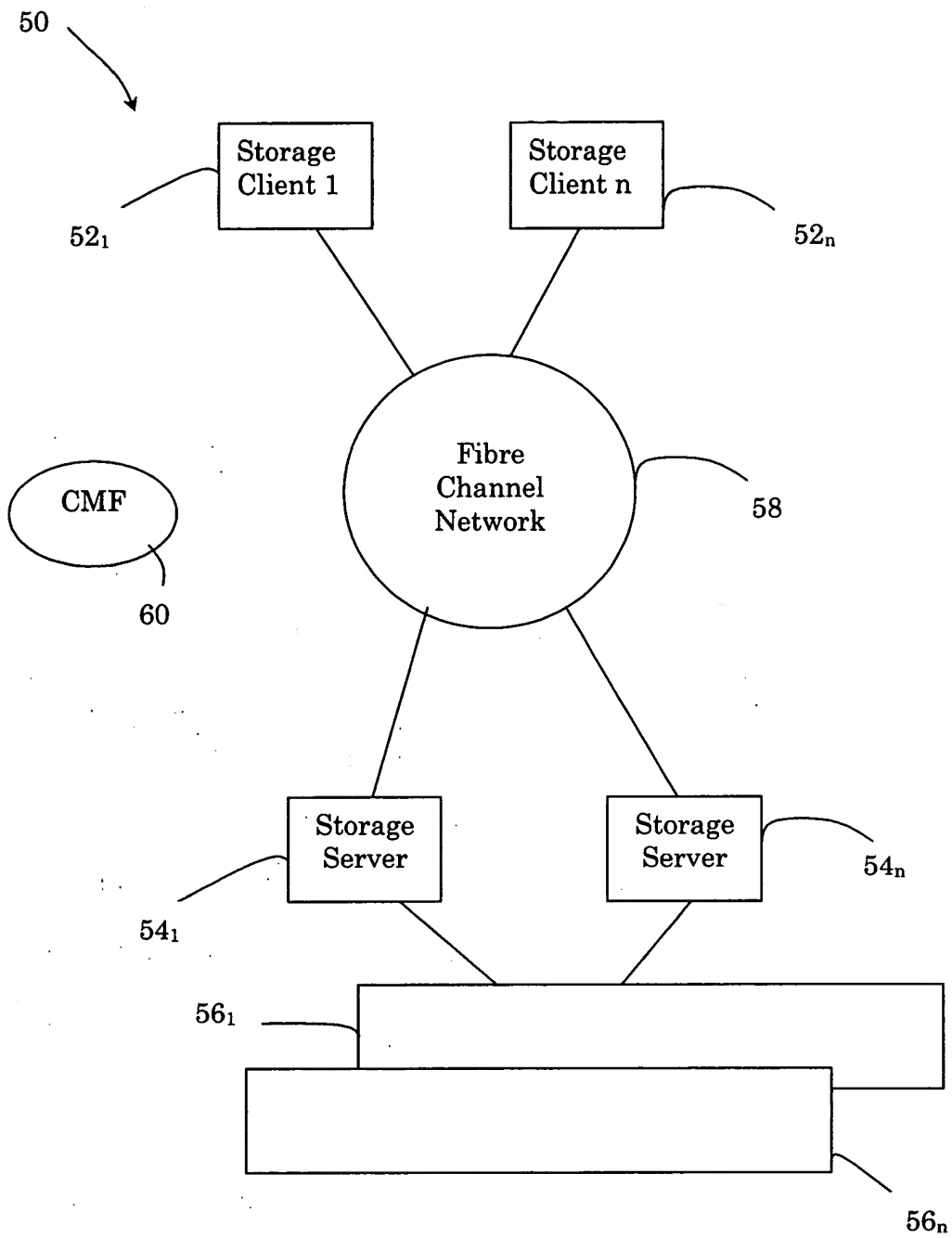


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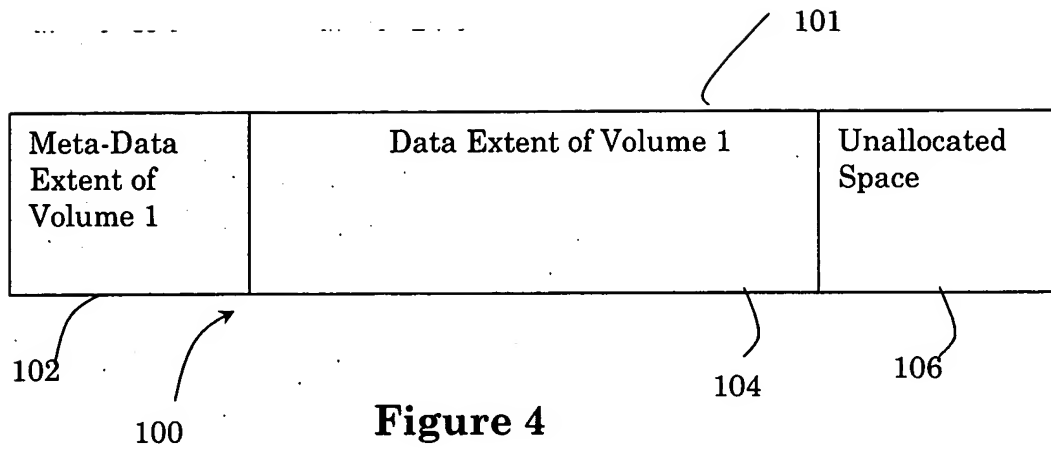
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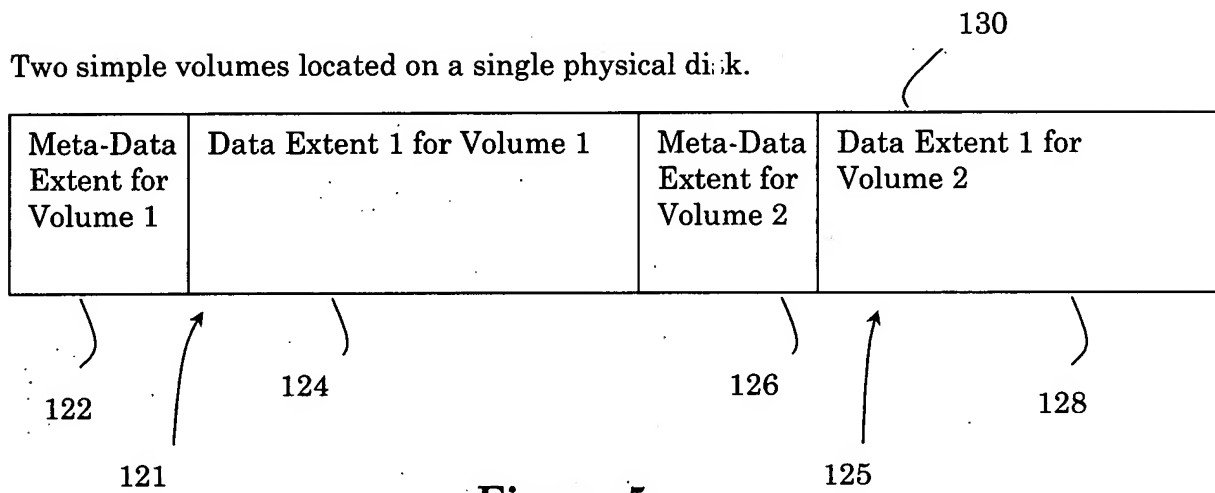
**Figure 2 (Prior Art)**



**Figure 3**



**Figure 4**



**Figure 5**

Two simple volumes located on a single physical disk; volume 1 is an extended simple volume.

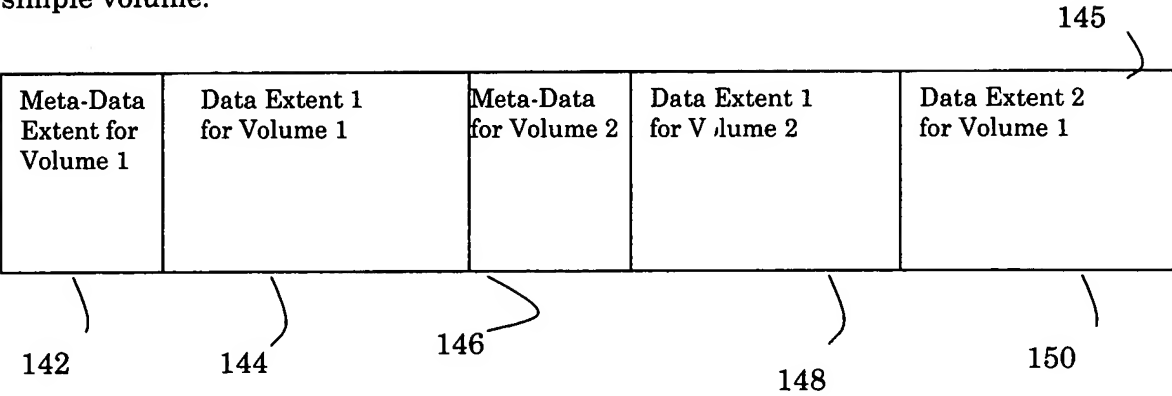


Figure 6

Spanned volume spanning two physical disks.

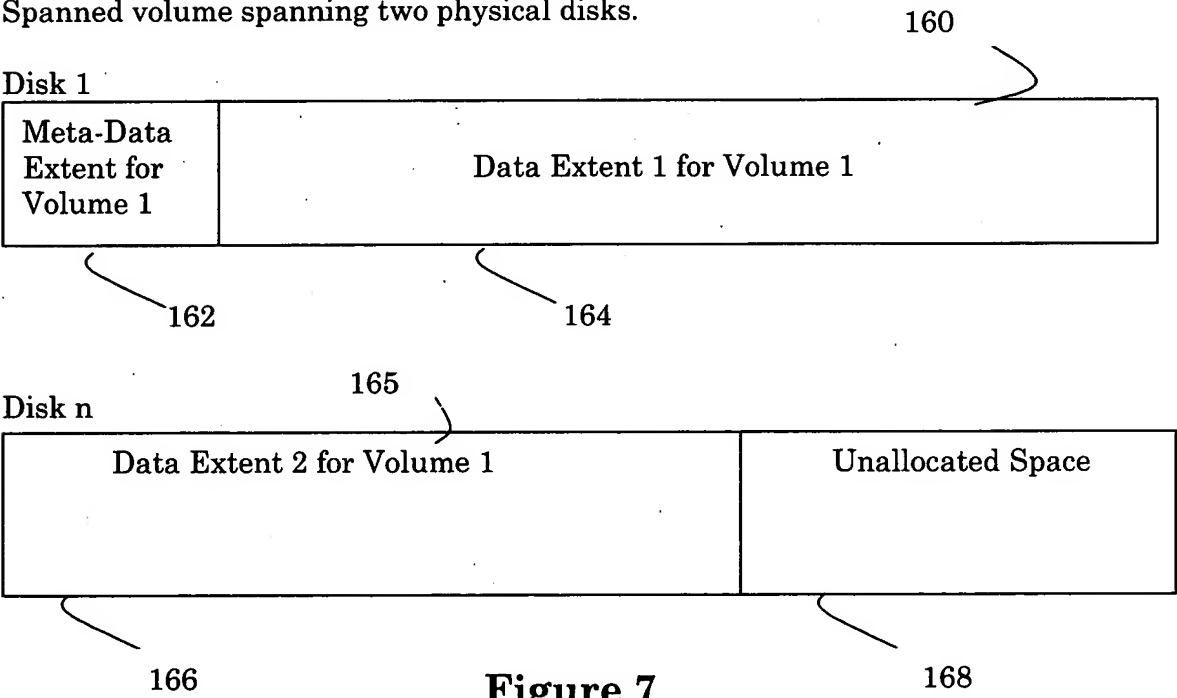
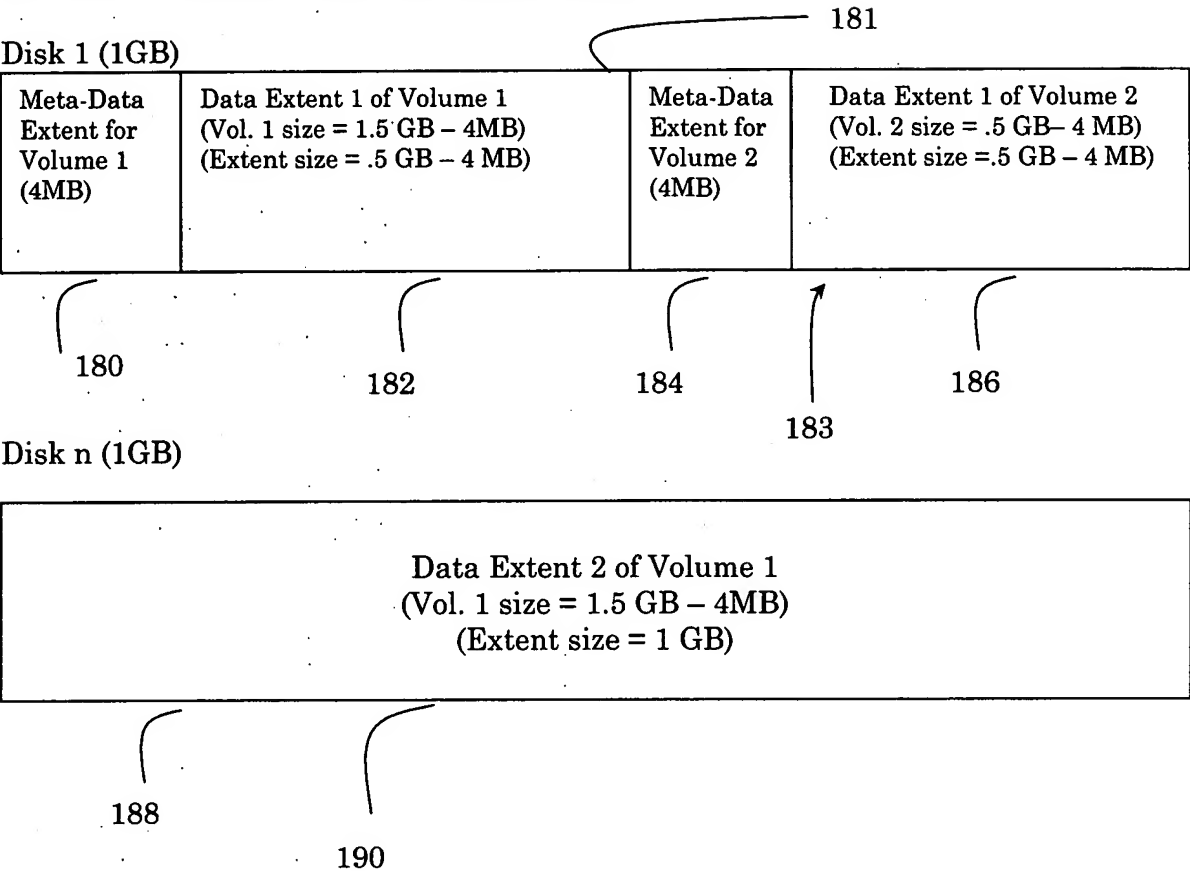
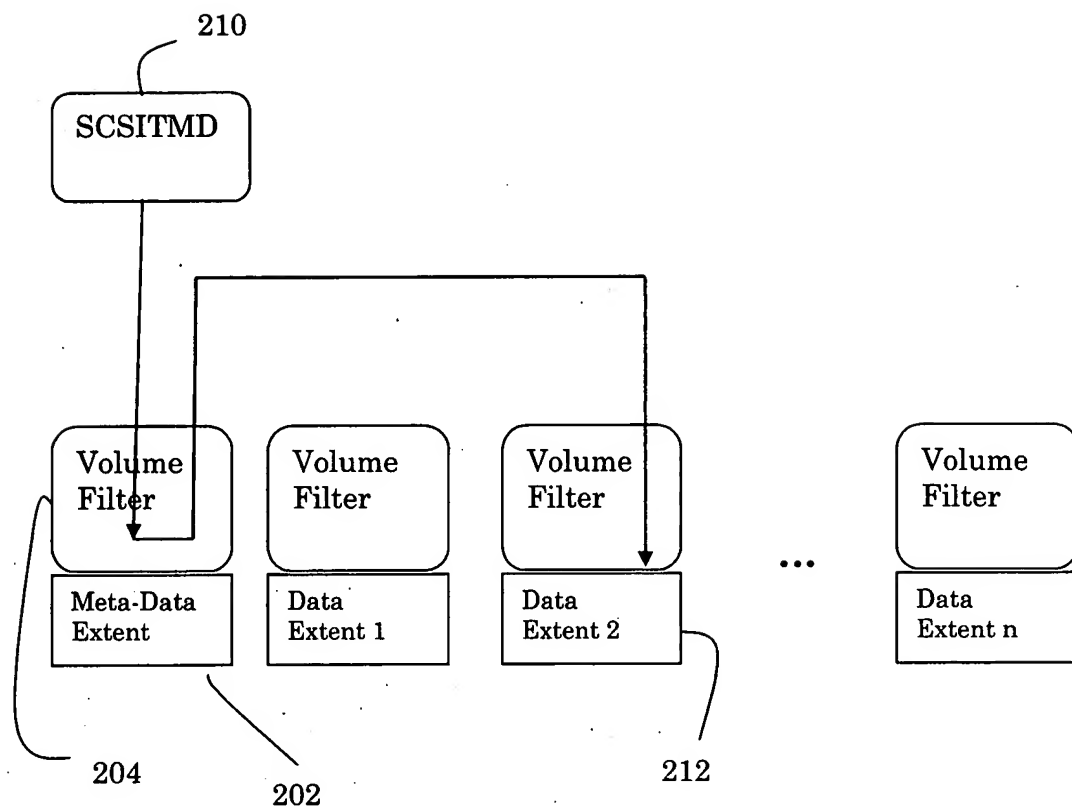


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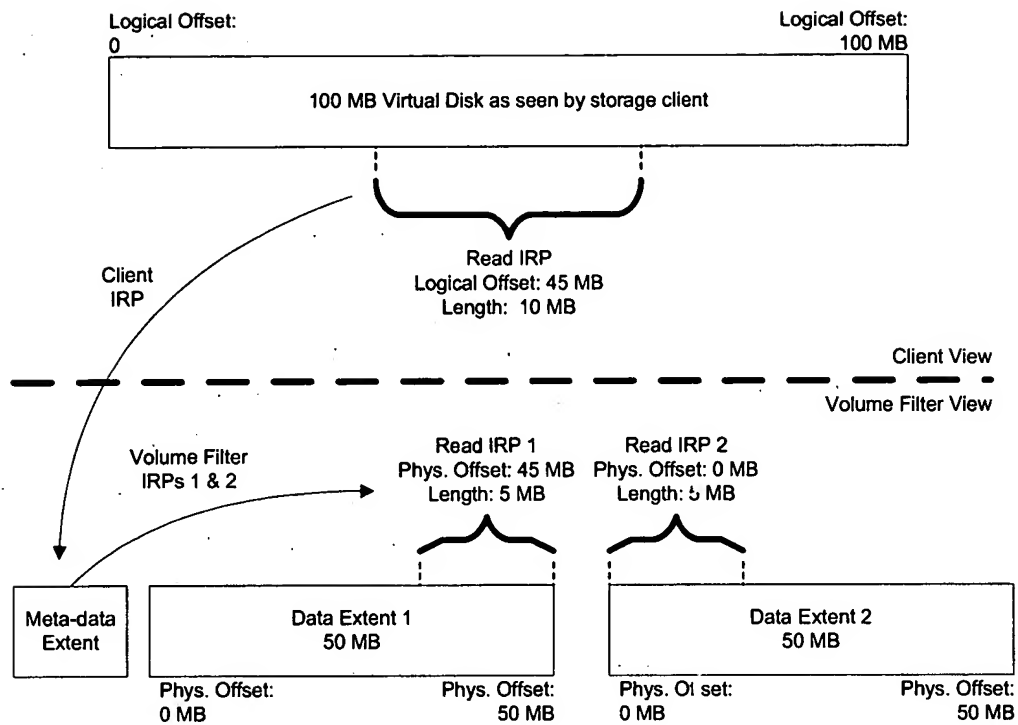
Spanned volume spanning two physical disks.



**Figure 8**



**Figure 9**



**Figure 10**